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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.322

Attn: Certificate of Correction Branch
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.322, Patentee hereby requests a Certificate of Correction be issued to correct an error noticed in claim 3. In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.322 of the Rules of Practice, approval of the attached Certificate of Correction for the above-identified patent is requested.

Typographical error in Claim 3 was made by the Office. The edit to the typographical error is shown below:

3. A method for obtaining access to a transportation system by using a multiple service transaction device to charge a fee related to said access to a financial account, said method including:

providing said multiple service transaction device to a consumer, wherein said multiple service transaction device is configured to provide funds from said financial account to a service partner account;

maintaining, by a provider of credit services, said financial account corresponding to said multiple service transaction device of said consumer;

receiving a request to charge said fee from said service partner, wherein said request includes location data indicative of a geographic location of said transportation system;

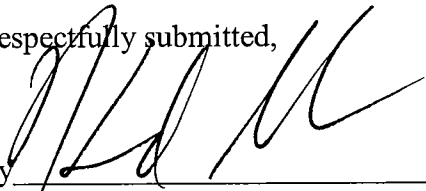
determining ~~that~~ that said service partner is at least one of located within a predefined geographic location and affiliated with said provider of credit services;

adjusting at least one of a loyalty account and said financial account based upon said request and said fee; and,

crediting said service partner account.

The claim as presented above agrees with the Amendment filed on October 12, 2006. If there are any questions or unresolved issues, the undersigned would welcome a telephone call to the number shown below.

Respectfully submitted,


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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 22 line 58, delete "tat" and insert therefore --that--.

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